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REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION

Under Rul 53(a), (b) & (f)

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Use for Design or Utility Applications

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RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION

Date: November 28, 2000

Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (Design Utility) entitled:

2. (Complete) Title: A MOLECULAR SWITCH FOR REGULATING MAMMALIAN GENE EXPRESSION

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. Abstract 1 page(s).

4. 44 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. Specification in non-English language

6. 41 Numbered claim(s); and

7. Drawings: 3 sheet(s) 1 set informal; 8. formal of size: A4 11"

9. DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Dat
(1) 60/171,597	December 23, 1999	(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)		(6)	

10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in _____

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11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) _____ in U.S. Application No. / filed on _____

12. This is a reissue of Patent No. _____

13. See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.)

14. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line -- This is a Continuation-in-Part Divisional Continuation Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:

14(a) National Appln. No. / filed -- (M#)

14(b) International Appln. No. PCT/ filed _____ which designated the U.S. --

15. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/ , filed --

16. Extension to date: concurrently filed not needed previously filed

17. Small Entity Status is claimed (pre-filing confirmation required)

17(a) Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s). (Since 9/8/00 Small Entity Statement not essential to make claim)

17(b) See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258)

18. Prior application is assigned to

by Assignment recorded _____ Reel _____ Frame _____

19. Attached:

20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s) **(Double check instructions for accuracy.):**
 (Listing of inventor(s) not a requirement, but list if known)

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21. NOTE: FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box
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